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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner : Marianne P. Allen
Group Art Unit : 1631
Applicants : Keith P. Wilson, et al.
Application No.: 09/678,016 Confirmation No.: 7947
Filed : October 2, 2000
For : METHODS OF USING THE STRUCTURE
COORDINATES OF MOLECULES COMPRISING AN
IMPDH-LIKE BINDING POCKET

New York, New York 10020
February 13, 2004

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Hon. Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Applicants filed an Amendment and Reply to the August 13, 2003 Final Office Action on January 13, 2004 in the above-identified application. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, applicants hereby submit a Request for Continued Examination, within the third month. With the extension, a response is due on or before February 13, 2004.

The fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3) is \$950.00. However, applicants had petitioned for a two-month extension of time and paid the \$420 fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(2) when submitting the Amendment

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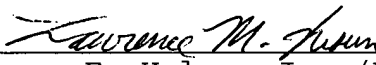
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and Reply to Final Office Action on January 13, 2004.

Thus, the outstanding fee due for the extension is \$950-\$420 = \$530.

A check in the amount of \$530.00, in payment of the fee is enclosed herewith. The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due in connection with the paper submitted herewith, or to credit overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,


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